<http://www.drrobertbrooks.com/writings/articles/0404.html> -Monica, reviewing 2 articles featured in Sports Illustraited and USA Today expressing the harmful sides of hazing and how "initiations" have been taken too far.

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/answer-sheet/post/6-common-myths-about-hazing/2011/11/15/gIQAnM06SN_blog.html> This post by a blogger for the washington post is very bias. To me it seems as if shes never actualy been to highschool or personaly met anyone whos been through any form of initation. She makes wild claims like hazing is often life threatening and the activities preformed have no benifit to team building activites. This gives a good base of what the administration will be saying on monday- Oscar

<http://yaleherald.com/archive/xxxi/2001.01.12/sports/p25policy.html> This is an article from the Yale Herlad which discusses an instance in which the varsity crew team got in trouble for what was deemed 'hazing'. The article's author includes part of Yale's definition of hazing, and discusses some perceived bias against sports teams. - Izzy

http://articles.cnn.com/2003-05-07/us/hs.hazing\_1\_junior-girls-younger-girls-initiation?\_s=PM:US This is an article by CNN where a touch foot ball game turned into a violent assualt. Michael Lauer

<http://www.alfred.edu/hs_hazing/docs/hazing__study.pdf> This is a study by Alfred University that shows the manner in which hazing has an effect on the people who are hazed and the hazers themselves. It includes statistics and charts. – Fernando

<http://whitmanpioneer.com/news/2011/03/03/allegations-of-hazing-leveled-against-tke-initiation-practices/> This article explains an incident with a college student going through very harsh initiation which crosses the line to hazing according to the schools Student Handbook. - Dominique

http://thesportsdebates.com/2009/09/29/the-value-of-hazing-debate-%E2%80%93-thank-you-sir-may-i-have-another/ - This article is an opinion piece that defends hazing (at the proper level in an appropriate context). It gives an example about a ritual that new firefighters participated in that had many positive effects on the author's future experiences. According to the author, hazing can increase team unity and teach valuable lessons to those who participate in these character-building rituals. - Caroline

<http://darienps.org/neirad/1006parentoverinvolvement.php> -

This article talks about how in 2009 parents were complaining about the cheerleading squad wearing their hair in curlers and called it hazing because they were supposedly “laughed at” in class. It caused a lot of controversy and led the captain of the team to quit. - Sara

http://www.darienps.org/neirad/print/november2005.pdf - The article entitled "Rules of Hierarchy turn Harsh and Hazy" discusses some of the issues that we have been bringing up. One thing that is mentioned is how the new school got rid of the "senior cafe", due to spacial issues, but more importantly due to the problems that it brought with it. This article brings up controversial points about whether hierarchy is normal or whether it is a from of hazing and is inappropriate. – Lilly

http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=122486154 - This is a transcript of an interview with an author who was part of the African American fraternity: Alpha Phi Alpha. This interview was conducted after a member of a specific chapter of this fraternity was arrested for battery. The president of the fraternity suspended intake of new members because of this, and the interview with a former member of the fraternity describes how it was good for the fraternity to suspend entry after members crossed the line. This article can support where the line is between initiation and hazing. This specific fraternity, which does have certain initiations, was once the fraternity of leaders such as Martin Luther King Jr.

<http://www.momsteam.com/health-safety/emotional-injuries/hazing/hazing-is-ritual-undermining-performance>

This article discusses the role of hazing rituals in school environments. It focuses on hazing that takes place on sports teams in order for people to earn their place on the team. The article goes on to describe the cycle of violent behavior that hazing perpetuates. The author believes that with each passing year, the leader of the hazing rituals will want to make the kids being hazed more humiliated then they had been personally in previous years. - Abby

http://www.alfred.edu/hs\_hazing/auseniorpaper.cfm

This is a College Student's published paper on hazing and initiations. It gives clear definitions to both words and presents multiple theories and opinions on it. It also discusses the purpose, effects, causes and why hazing continues in schools. - Maeve

http://www.gannett.cornell.edu/hazing/issues/research.cfm

This is a Cornell Research and Theory page based on Hazing. It discusses hazing deaths, certain statistics that go along with hazing, hazing among athletes, theoretical perspectives of hazing, and certain factors that contribute or help cause hazing. - Maeve

<http://www.ncaa.org/wps/wcm/connect/17c5ec804e0db171aa25fa1ad6fc8b25/HazingImpactofhazing.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&CACHEID=17c5ec804e0db171aa25fa1ad6fc8b25> this is a power point made by the NCAA showing some of the overall dangers of hazing physically and mentally and has quotes from different people who have been hazed before - Michael Lauer

http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=5012154

This article is an example of hazing in school and when it becomes out of hand. This young man at the age of 21 was killed after a night of hazing. The perpetrator, age 22, has this to say, "I did what I did out of a misguided sense of building brotherhood, and instead I lost a brother. I will live with the consequences of hazing for the rest of my life". This tragic event is a current trend in America where its happened at least once every year for three decades. Unfortunately for this Fraternity, their idea of initiations turned into the extreme when they decided to torture their pledges: "There were forced pushups and trivia quizzes. Through it all, the Carrington and Quintana were ordered to drink from a five-gallon jug of water, which was filled over and over. Fans blasted icy air on their wet bodies. They urinated and vomited on themselves." This grotesque behavior from the fraternity members is quite common apparently and is a serious problem in most colleges. -Alex

<http://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/gender-and-schooling/201001/hazing-and-high-school-gendered-rites-group-membership>- This article shows what might psychology go on in someones mind when it comes to hazing. It acknowledges the pressures and reactions to certain situations that may cause the want for hazing and initiation to happen.

<http://shs.wustl.edu/attachments/Hazing%20article%20020108%20RJH.pdf> This article addresses the pros and cons of hazing. The article also defines what hazing and groups the hazing into three diffferent groups, mental, emotional, and physical. Although they are all different and their own way, they are all harmful to an individual. -Galen

<http://abcnews.go.com/GMA/teen-girls-hazed-slut-list/story?id=8649050>

This article is about one form of hazing. In a school in New Jersey has extreme hazing problems- and their's doesn't have to do with sports. The most popular girls create a "slut list" - where they label some of the incoming freshmen as inapropiate and mean names. Some girls are very hurt by this. However, some are honored to be on the list because they think it will help their social status. It is truly disgusting. The worst part is that the girls who were put on the list, in turn make the list when they are seniors. In this case, hazing is negative because girls are hurt every single year and it is a never ending cycle. - Riley

http://www.wikispaces.com/site/embedthumbnail/file/hazing.xlsx?h=40&w=200

i had my brother go around the freshman grade asking his peers a series of questions that regarded haizng. As expected the results favored the idea that hazing is not a problem at DHS, however it was not clear cut. I then went around asking upper classmen about hazing and their experiences. The upper classman also favored the idea that hazing isnt a problem at DHS, but it was more clear cut. - Danny